

## **Recent Maryland-Anhui Events**

### **September 30, 2005**

Anhui delegation visits Towson University and Maryland Department of the Environment.

#### **Members of Anhui Delegation:**

Mr. Xu Liquan, Chairman, Anhui People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries

Mr. Zhang Yaowen, Director General, Anhui Provincial Personnel Department

Mr. Yu Zhifang, Deputy Director General, Anhui Provincial Education Department

Mr. Xu Jiasheng, Deputy Director General, Anhui Provincial Environmental Protection Bureau

Mr. Chen Huazhou, Deputy Director General, Anhui Provincial Foreign Affairs Office

Ms. Wang Xiaoqin, Deputy Director General, Anhui Provincial Finance Department

Mr. Yu Aimin, Assistant Consultant and Interpreter, Division of Asia, America and Oceania of Anhui Foreign Affairs Office

Mr. Zhang Xianggen, Chairman, Jinxian County Congress

Mr. Wang Jianhua, Director, Jinxian County Foreign Affairs Office of Anhui Province

Delegation is accompanied by Mr. Ning Shao, Director, Maryland Center China, and Mr. Charlie Xie, General Manager, Perdue Farms China Office.

### **September 29, 2005**

Governor Ehrlich hosts Chinese Ambassador Zhou Wenzhong at Government House, Annapolis.

### **April 16-29, 2005**

Secretary of State Karl Aumann heads a delegation to China to celebrate the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the sister state partnership. The delegation traveled to Shanghai, Anhui Province, Shangdong Province, and Beijing.

#### **Members of Maryland Delegation:**

R. Karl Aumann, Secretary of State

Dr. Calvin W. Burnett, Secretary, Maryland Higher Education Commission

Kendl P. Philbrick, Secretary, Maryland Department of the Environment

Alan M. Wilner, Judge, Maryland Court of Appeals

Dr. E. Keith Menchey, Chief of Staff, Assistant Secretary for Policy, Maryland Department of Agriculture

Susan Frick Payne, Director of International Affairs, Office of the Secretary of State

John W. E. Cluster, Jr., Maryland House of Delegates, Delegate from District 8, Baltimore County

William Anthony "Tony" McConkey, Maryland House of Delegates, Delegate from District 33A, Anne Arundel County)

Dr. Robert Gell, President Emeritus, Cecil Community College; Commissioner, Town of Charlestown, Maryland  
Dr. James F. Brennan, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs, Towson University  
Dr. Jin Gong, Dean & Associate Vice President for Research, College of Graduate Education & Research, Towson University  
Dr. V. Scott Koerwer, Associate Dean for Executive Education, Marketing, & Communication, University of Maryland Robert H. Smith School of Business  
Dr. Dean Esslinger, Associate Vice President for International Programs, Towson University  
Dr. Winston Chan, President, Multimax, Inc.  
Luke Chow, President/CEO, Prime Manufacturing Technologies, Inc.  
Douglas E. Sharp, President, General Physics Corporation  
Dennis A. Pick, Vice President and CFO, RWD Technologies  
Ralph A. Ahrens, III, Vice President, Harford Systems  
Suzanne Eakle, Economic Development Manager, Queen Anne's County  
Margaret Brooke Murdock, Judge, Circuit Court of Baltimore City  
Walter Czarnecki, Manager of China Business Development and Executive Programs, Office of Executive Education, University of Maryland Robert H. Smith School of Business  
Emily Chow (Mrs. Luke Chow), Advisor, Prime Manufacturing Technologies, Inc.

#### **October 9, 2004**

Anhui Vice Chairman of the Overseas Culture Friendship Association, Mr. Wang Shimin, makes a gift to the University of Maryland library. It is a 24 volume collection of books on Chinese culture; a very significant contribution based on the high level of the delegation that will be here. The delegation is hosted by the Institute for Global Chinese Affairs, University of Maryland.

#### **May 24, 2004**

The Honorable Wang Taihua, Chairman of the Anhui Provincial Government visit Maryland with a business delegation. The delegation meets with Maryland business and government representatives. Chairman Wang meets Governor Ehrlich and is hosted for lunch by the First Family in Government House. A renewal of the Maryland-Anhui Sister States agreement is signed.

#### **December 2, 2004**

Anhui Province Economic Development Program. Mr. Chen Qi Tao, Deputy Director General of the Anhui Provincial Development and Reform Committee, leads a 25 member delegation to Maryland. The group visits the University of Maryland Robert H. Smith School of Business, College Park, and the Maryland Technology Development Center, Rockville to meet with Maryland business leaders.

### **Members of the Anhui Delegation:**

1. Mr. Chen Qi Tao, Deputy Director General  
Anhui Provincial Development and Reform Committee
2. Mr. Fan Jia Sheng, Director  
Ma'anshan Economic and Technology Development Zone Administration
3. Mr. Liu Zi Zhong, Deputy Director  
Hefei Economic and Technology Development Zone Administration
4. Mr. Wang Cun Shu, Deputy Director  
Hefei High Technology Development Zone Administration
5. Mr. Zhao Dan, Deputy Director  
Fuyang Economy and Technology Development Zone Administration
6. Mr. Sun Mao Chuan, Senior Economist  
Chaohu Political Consultative Conference
7. Mr. Zhou Yu, Deputy Director of Investment Promotion Center  
Anhui Provincial Development and Reform Committee
8. Ms. Zhang Qin, Translator of Investment Promotion Center  
Anhui Provincial Development and Reform Committee
9. Mr. Wang Bin, Deputy Director of Investment Promotion Center  
Hefei Economy and Technology Development Zone
10. Mr. Hu Ge Ning, Director General of Investment Promotion Bureau  
Hefei High and New Technology Industrial Development Zone
11. Mr. Li Guang Hong, Vice President, Bank of China  
Hefei High and New Technology Industrial Development Zone Branch
12. Mr. Cai Dan, Deputy Director of Economic and Trade Bureau  
Ma'anshan Economy and Technology Development Zone
13. Ms. Sun Hong, Translator of Economic and Trade Bureau  
Ma'anshan Economy and Technology Development Zone
14. Mr. He Fa Zhan, Deputy Director  
Wuhu High and New Technology Industrial Development Zone  
Administration
15. Mr. Ni Xing Wu, Section Chief  
Chuzhou Finance Bureau
16. Mr. Yang Yong Yi, Deputy Director  
Ma'anshan Development and Planning Committee
17. Mr. Wang Jian Ming, Section Chief  
Huangshan Finance Bureau
18. Mr. Wang Yi Miao, Deputy Director  
Huaining County Comprehensive Economy Development Zone  
Administration
19. Mr. Chen Shi An, Director General of Investment Promotion Bureau  
Anqing Economy and Technology Development Zone
20. Mr. Zhang Zuo Yu, Division Chief  
Hefei Development and Planning Committee
21. Mr. Zhang Chang Lin, Section Chief

Lu'an Finance Bureau

22. Mr. Wu Yao Bin, Deputy Director  
Matang District Standing Committee of the People's Congress, Wuhu City
23. Mr. Zhu Yuan Chao, Vice President  
Matang District Political Consultative Conference, Wuhu City
24. Mr. Feng Ke Jin, Deputy Director  
Lu'an Development and Planning Committee
25. Mr. Geng Dong Mu, Section Chief  
District Section of Anhui Provincial Development and Reform Committee